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HEADQUARTERS, 19TH SUSTAINMENT COMMAND (EXPEDITIONARY)
UNIT 15015
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REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Command Policy Letter #60 - Military Vehicular Marking

1. REFERENCES.

- a. AR 750-1, Army Materiel Maintenance Policy.
- b. TB 43-0209, Color, Marking, and Camouflage Painting of Military Vehicles, Construction Equipment and Materials Handling Equipment.
- c. TM 43-0139, Painting Instructions for Army Materiel.

2. PURPOSE. The purpose of this policy is to standardize the application of vehicle bumper numbers for all military vehicles assigned to the 19th Sustainment Command (Expeditionary) (ESC).

3. APPLICABILITY. This policy applies to all 19th ESC organizations.

4. GENERAL.

- a. Commanders will ensure that each item of equipment is assigned a qualified operator and an assistant operator (if practical).

- b. Each vehicle (prime mover) will have the name of the operator and his immediate supervisor stenciled on the lower right-hand corner of the windshield (passenger side) of the cab, visible from the front of the vehicle. All other vehicle markings will be in strict accordance with TB 43-0209. Windshield markings will be in blocked letters. The windshield marking will not exceed two inches.

- c. Use black lettering over brown or green CARC, green lettering over black CARC, and brown lettering over white or tan CARC. The lettering paint must be CARC if used on a CARC background. For specific policies and guidelines for CARC and camouflage pattern painting, see AR 750-1, paragraphs 7-8c(16-17) and TM 43-0139.

- d. The numerals and letters used to identify the MSC, Battalion, Company to which the equipment belongs and its administrative number will be made using flat black paint and two-to-three-inch-high letter and number stencils. When observing from the front of the vehicle, the markings are divided into four positions. Positions 1 and 2 are applied on the left side of the

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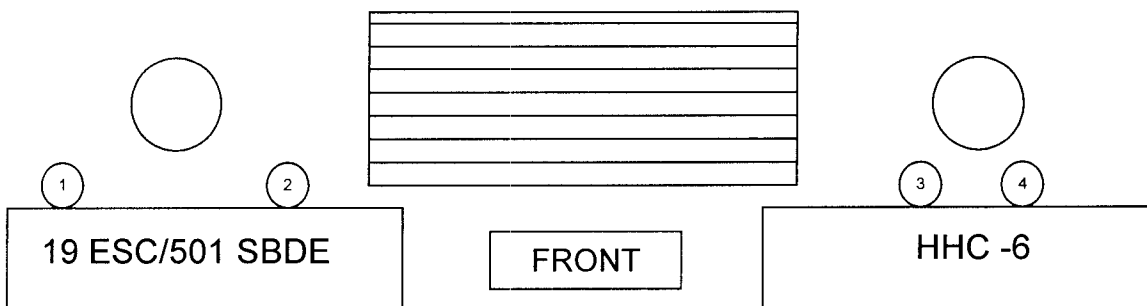
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vehicle, while positions 3 and 4 are applied on the right side of the vehicle. Per TB 43-0209, the positions identify:

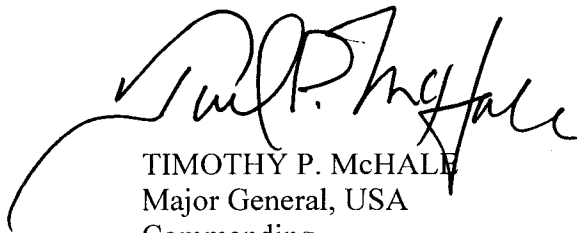
- (1) The major command, organization, or activity the equipment is associated with.
- (2) The intermediate organization or activity.
- (3) The unit that operates and maintains the vehicle.
- (4) The specific vehicle number (often associated with the order of march).

e. Vehicular markings beyond this policy, such as assigning a specific number against a specific unit position, will be IAW unit SOP.

f. Listed below is an illustration of the application of bumper number markings on military vehicles in the 19th ESC:



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